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## MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

The regular monthly business meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Kauai was held at the office of the Board on Wednesday, May 3rd., 1916, at 10 o'clock. Present: H. D. Wishard, chairman; T. Brandt, W. D. McBryde, Joe Rodriguez, A. Menefoglio.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

A request (P 1312) from Col. Broadbent on behalf of the 4th Infantry N. G. H. for financial assistance to defray the expenses of carrying on the work in connection with the drilling, etc., of the 12 companies, and the hospital corps, composing the 4th Regiment, N. G. H., was received, also the legal opinion of the County Attorney in regard to the request. Both documents were read. Upon motion of Mr. Brandt, seconded by Mr. Menefoglio, the request, by unanimous vote, was denied.

Bids for furnishing this county with 14000 ft. of 6" wood pipe were received as follows:—

H. H. Brodie, Hanapepe, Kauai (P 1307)

Honolulu Iron Works Co., Honolulu, Hawaii, (P 1308)

Lewers & Cooke, Ltd., Honolulu, Hawaii, (P 1309)

National Tank & Pipe Company, Portland, Oregon, (P 1310)

F. E. Richardson, Honolulu, Hawaii, (P 1311)

These were referred to Mr. Moragne for advice, upon whose recommendation the bid of Mr. Richardson (the material to be landed at Port Allen) was accepted by the Board upon the motion of Mr. McBryde, seconded by Mr. Menefoglio. A request (P 1313) from Lieut. Col. Timmons of the Fourth Infantry N. G. H. for an appropriation of \$2000.00 to defray a part of the expenses for a Fourth of July celebration with military and sports features, etc. was received and upon consideration it was voted that all the members of the Board act as a committee to investigate the matter and report later.

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## PREPARING FOR BIG MILITARY DAY

The committees of the National Guard on Fourth of July celebration had a long session with the chairman of the Board of Supervisors in the County Building Saturday night in the effort to straighten out the matter of where the finances for the affair are to come from. Reports from the transportation committee developed the gratifying fact that the nine companies of outside troops may be moved into Lihue and back home again without charge. That cut the prospective expenses in half at one shot and greatly simplified the problem.

The supervisors, according to Mr. Wishard, were doubtful that they could appropriate money for the entire budget of expenses, but it appeared that a total of \$500 of the items submitted by the committee were within the law; and he thought that the supervisors could be relied upon to supply that amount, the officers of the Guard to raise the remaining sum of \$500.

The chairman of the finance committee replied to this that if the supervisors would appropriate \$500 as suggested the officers of the regiment would put up the remaining \$500. That seemed satisfactory all around and was adopted by vote as the plan to be worked upon.

The finance committee announced that it would issue cards without delay to all officers of the regiment inviting their contributions.

Captain Carden, for the sports committee, made a very satisfactory report of plans for the big Fourth of July program.

It was stated at the meeting that General Samuel I. Johnson and perhaps other military notables would be present for the events.

### Fun At Makaweli

"Midnight Follies" Of The Makaweli Girls is one explanatory note on a card just out. The affair will take place in Makaweli hall next Saturday evening, beginning at 9 o'clock. It is announced that there will be dancing.

## MOST DELIGHTFUL ENTERTAINMENT

The entertainment given in Lihue Social hall Saturday evening for the benefit of the interscholastic soccer league drew a packed house and resulted in net receipts of about \$200, which will be divided between the teams.

The leading feature of the evening was a playlet entitled "Room 45", in which Miss Millicent Waterhouse was the star. Harry Vincent interpreted the lady's husband, while Sheriff Rice was the occupant of the notorious "Room 45" Mrs. Avery was the chambermaid while Mr. Patterson fulfilled the important duties of night clerk.

The playlet was much enjoyed. After that feature Mr. Morrow and Miss Penniman gave an exhibition of fancy dancing in a delightful manner.

The last feature of the evening were the much-heralded shadow pictures, to which Mr. Lydgate had devoted so much time and ingenuity. The principals in the first set were Charles Dole, E. de Lacy, Miss Penniman and Miss Lottie Jordan. In the second set were Mrs. Burke, Miss Mable Wilcox, Miss Barker and Miss Penniman.

Everyone present seemed to agree that the affair was one of the most pleasing of the season, and that more entertainments of a similar kind would be appreciated.

### MORSES TO LEAVE

Chas. B. Morse, principal of the Eleele school for the past five years, has notified the department that he will not accept reappointment, and that he is moving back to California where he has business interests. His son is also in Stanford and the parents wish to be nearer him. Some months ago Mr. Morse sold out his homestead and pineapple interests at Kalaheo.

Frank Richardson, a machinery man of Honolulu, came over last week in connection with tenders for furnishing the county with piping, etc.

## MILITARY LUAU SIGNAL SUCCESS

The second battalion, Fourth Infantry, N. G. H., most royally entertained a very large number of people from all parts of Kauai at the famous Lawai beach house Sunday. Not only was it a day of pleasure long to be remembered, but the coffers of Major McBryde's battalion were left simply bulging out with the day's receipts.

Automobiles began to arrive at the top of the hill about 10 o'clock and before long the roadways there were filled with them. Then came the excursion trains from the Makaweli Eleele side, which pretty well filled the large grounds with military men and their friends.

The beach house proper was reserved for dancing a pastime which was kept going prettily well all day. Here and there in the pretty grove were booths of varied design and equally varied contents. There were flower, refreshment and candy booths; all sorts of guessing and chance propositions; "hit the nigger" affair; wheels of fortune, and heavens knows what all all doing a land-office business and the big crowd gleeful in the extreme all the while.

At noon there was a regular, old-time Hawaiian luau—the real thing, where you sit down on your feet (or somebody else's feet) and gorge your way to stomachic satisfaction.

There was not an idle moment, nor a dull moment, nor an unpleasant moment nor a moment when one wished to be elsewhere; and when the affair gradually dwindled to a close the unanimous opinion was that it was the hugest and most signal success of any military function yet attempted.

### Nawiliwili Deferred

THE GARDEN ISLAND received from its Washington correspondent definite information this morning that the Nawiliwili harbor appropriation had been side-tracked, practically without recall at this session. The following is the information, which is dated April 27.

The Senate Committee on Commerce, which has charge of the rivers and harbors bill, has formally decided not to add new projects to the bill which has passed the House. The House bill provided only for projects under way, with the exception of one item for the improvement of New York harbor, which was inserted in the bill at the personal request and direction of the President. The action of the Senate Committee makes it reasonably certain that no provision will be made in the pending bill for the Nawiliwili and Honolulu harbor projects.

### Mrs. H. Rice Hurt

The mail arriving this morning brought particulars of an accident which befell Mrs. Harold Rice, of Maui, last Thursday. Of the accident the Wailuku Times says:

Mrs. Harold Rice, who was out riding in her car on Friday afternoon with her chauffeur, a Japanese, at the wheel, was run into by a plantation engine near a railroad crossing at Paia. The handsome automobile was smashed almost beyond repair, but happily neither Mrs. Rice nor the chauffeur suffered any serious injuries. Mrs. Rice was immediately taken to the Punahoa hospital, where it was ascertained that beyond being badly shaken up and a slight injury to her shoulder, she was unharmed and able to be removed to the home of her brother, Frank Baldwin.

## SCHEDULE FOR THE BASEBALL SEASON

The baseball season on Kauai will open a week from Sunday—May 21.

After each game athletic competitions will take place, the idea being to get the men in trim for the great field meet scheduled for July Fourth. It has been suggested that a preliminary field meet be pulled off the first Sunday after the close of the first baseball series. It is urged that such a program would increase interest in sports and at the same time give the committee valuable lines on the athletes for the big day.

There will be baseball games all over on the opening day, May 21, the following being the schedule: At Waimea, Companies I and M;

Makaweli, Companies I and K; Eleele, Companies G and H; Lihue, Companies A and B; Kealia, Companies E and F; Kilauea, Companies C and D.

After the games at each place there will be the following contests:

1. Baseball;
2. Carrying wounded without litter;
3. Centipede race.

On May 28 the following baseball contests will take place:

The winners at Waimea will play the winners of Makaweli;

The winners at Eleele will play the winners in the A and B contest, Lihue;

The winners at Kealia will play (Continued on page 6.)

### Lihue Police Court

Lee Akana (Lee Wo), a shopkeeper of Lihue was arrested Sunday in a raid by Lihue police. Yesterday morning he was arraigned in the police court at Lihue and fined \$100 for selling liquor without license and \$25 for having opium in possession, the police finding some of the drug on the premises. Lee Wo, it is claimed, has been doing a flourishing business lately in beer and cheap wine.

It was pay-day down Huleia way Saturday, so that night eight Japanese and two Koreans started in to exchange a little of their wealth in a game of chance. The police swooped down and bagged the bunch. Yesterday morning all forfeited bail in the police court, amounting to \$105.

### Old Resident Dies

Manuel T. Souza, a very old resident of Kauai, father of Lihue's bandmaster, Joseph A. Souza, died at the Lihue hospital last Tuesday evening after an operation for an ailment which had bothered him for fifteen years.

Mr. Souza came to the Islands in 1882. Twenty-five years were spent at Kealia and Kilauea, where he was overseer, and the last nine years with his sons.

Deceased was a man of fine habits and was held in high esteem by all who knew him. His funeral was largely attended, the Lihue band heading the procession. He left a widow and four sons—Joseph A. and Antonio Souza, of Lihue, and Manuel and John, who are in California. The son Manuel came down last winter to visit his parents.

Mr. Souza is said to have been the first Portuguese on Kauai to send his sons to Honolulu schools.

Attorney C. H. Olsen, of Honolulu, was on Kauai last week in connection with the probate of the will of the late Mrs. Gay.

## TODAY'S AND LATEST NEWS BY WIRELESS

Sugar, 6.46

The cargo of the Texan gained in value as much as \$70,000 between the Islands and the coast on account of the advance in the price of sugar. The Honolulu English newspapers are doing all in their power to create bad blood between Americans and Japanese in Hawaii on account of American naturalization laws.

The Second and 125th Coast artillery companies are to be added to the garrison on Oahu in July.

### Reply To Germany

Washington—The letter from the President in reply to Germany's note accepts the solemn pledge made by Germany that sea raids will in future conform to international law.

Washington will enter into no agreement nor recognize any provisions with reference to submarine regulations dependent upon any issue of the blockade by the Entente powers. The Kaiser must regard rights of Americans and the safety of their lives and property on the high seas as not dependent upon the conduct of any other government affecting the rights of neutrals who are at sea.

The reply of the President is short and to the point, leaving no doubt as to the American position.

### Big Steamer Torpedoed

London—The White Star liner, Cymric, is attacked by a torpedo craft and limps into Queenstown. A Japanese ship is also attacked.

### President And Preparedness

Washington—The President talked today to Pacificists on the subject of "Preparedness." He said that compulsory military training was not contrary to the best traditions of the United States. He says he hopes that after the European war is over all nations will unite for permanent peace.

### Some Contradictory Reports

Paris—The Germans say that the French were ousted from their trench near Verdun. Report from Berlin claims that 300 French prisoners were taken. Paris statement flatly contradicts these assertions.

### Russians Defeat The Turks

The Russians have forced the Turks to abandon their first line of positions in the province of Erzincan and fall back on second defense lines.

### Bandits Not Pursued

Washington—Owing to insufficient force in the locality, the bandits who raided in Texas will not be pursued into Mexico.

### Apache Scouts Fight

Headquarters American army in the Field—Apache Indian scouts, detailed with the 11th Cavalry, made a daring attack upon Villa bandits near Ojosazules, Mexico. Their marksmanship was superb.

### Conference Is Fruitless

El Paso—The conference between Generals Scott, Funston and Obregon has failed of any definite agreement. Another meeting will be held today. The second Villa raid will come up at today's hearing.

### Monday Afternoon

Washington—It is learned that a brief note is being drafted by the President in answer to the long letter of Germany, in which the latter is informed that so long as German commanders strictly observe the new instructions which it is stated has been given them, diplomatic relations will be continued; but the United States declines positively to allow Germany to dictate as to negotiations between America and Great Britain regarding the food blockade.

It is hinted that the President is not satisfied with the apparent conditions attached to the German pledge and that he will stand by his demand for the cessation of submarine outrages regardless of the negotiations between the United States and Great Britain over the food blockade.

### House Fails To Concur

The House today refused to agree to Senate amendment of army reorganization bill for a standing army of 250,000 and a volunteer army of 261,000 men, pledged to thirty days systematic training annually, by an overwhelming vote. The earlier debate showed a lineup of party men.

### Kaiser Hopeful Of Peace?

London—A Rotterdam despatch says that the Kaiser wrote Pope Benedict at Easter expressing the hope, with the king of Spain, that the Pope would be able to construct a scheme the object of which would be a conference of the belligerents with their consideration that of an early armistice and following this the hope of peace.

### Furious Fighting Today

Paris—There have been furious attacks in the Verdun zone today. German artillery and infantry attacked French positions near Hill 304, but the attacks were broken down with losses on the Germans extremely heavy.

The Germans were driven from their trenches east of Hill 304, east of the Meuse. Fighting now is almost as violent as in March.

### French Bark Sunk

London—The French bark Molinas has been sunk by a submarine.

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### Colonel Cox Coming

Colonel Blanche Cox, of the Salvation Army, accompanied by her secretary, Adjutant Duncan, will arrive on Kauai tomorrow and will hold meetings as follows: Waimea, Wednesday; Koloa, Thursday; Lihue, Friday. The Colonel will speak at Nawiliwili church Friday evening.

This will be the Colonel's last visit to Kauai as she will shortly leave for the mainland.

A Lihue picked team and the team of the German Sports Club will play football in Lihue park Sunday afternoon.

### Lawai Luau Receipts

Tickets were collected from 450 persons at the military luau at Lawai Sunday. The receipts from all sources amounted in round figures to \$1,000. After all expenses are paid there will be a net balance of between \$500 and \$600 which will be divided between Companies G and H of the second battalion.

Since January 1 a total of 109 new automobiles have been registered on Kauai, bringing the grand total up to nearly 500.

Monday will be the last day for paying taxes.